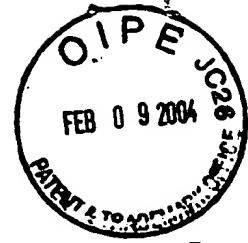


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In re Application of:

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Examiner: L. Wassum

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a.  Previously submitted
  - i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - iii.  Other
- b.  Enclosed
  - i.  Preliminary Amendment
  - ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
  - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
  - iv.  Other

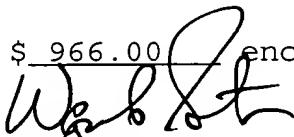
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- a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
- b.  Other

3. **Fees**

- a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 14-0620.
- b.  Check in the amount of \$ 966.00 enclosed

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